

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please rewrite the paragraph appearing at page 23, lines 11-19, as follows:

--Furthermore, an image file in sYCC color space can be transmitted as is and the image file can be received and processed by the receiving machine. In addition, the received image file can be uploaded as is to a Compact Flash (registered ~~trademark~~ trademark) card. Since JPEG-format information can be transmitted by an image file in sYCC color space, it is possible to perform facsimile color communication that conforms to the apparatus on the receiving side.--